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AMENDMENT

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This communication is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed on June 1, 2005, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to which expires on September 1, 2005.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which starts at page 2 of this paper;

Corrections to the drawings are identified on page 7 of this paper, with replacement sheets and marked-up versions showing the corrections being enclosed herewith; and

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.